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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

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In re: CENTER FOR MEDICAL  
PROGRESS; et al..

CENTER FOR MEDICAL PROGRESS;  
et al.,

Petitioners,

v.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF  
CALIFORNIA, SAN FRANCISCO,

Respondent,

NATIONAL ABORTION FEDERATION,  
NAF,

Real Party in Interest.

No. 15-72844

D.C. No. 3:15-cv-03522-WHO  
Northern District of California,  
San Francisco

ORDER

Before: REINHARDT, TASHIMA, and RAWLINSON, Circuit Judges.

This petition for a writ of mandamus raises issues that warrant an answer.

*See* Fed. R. App. P. 21(b). Accordingly, on or before 3:00 p.m. Pacific Time on Friday, September 18, 2015, the real party in interest shall file an answer. The

district court may address the petition if it so desires. The district court may elect to file an answer with this court or to issue an order and serve a copy on this court.

Petitioners may file an optional reply to the answer on or before 3:00 p.m. Pacific Time on Monday, September 21, 2015.

The emergency motion for a stay will be addressed by separate order.

The Clerk shall serve this order on the district court and District Judge William H. Orrick, III.